IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: | |) | |
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| | | : | Examiner: S. D. Patel |
| YOSHIKO IIDA ET AL. | |) | |
| | | : | Art Unit: 2624 |
| Application No.: 10/006,724 | |) | |
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| For: | IMAGE PROCESSING |) | |
| | APPARATUS AND METHOD | : | March 7, 2007 |

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

Supplemental to the Amendment dated January 23, 2007, the Examiner is requested kindly to amend the above-identified application as follows, the specification changes appearing at page 2, the changes to the claims being reflected in the listing that begins at page 8, and the Remarks beginning at page 11: